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Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 24, 2003, Applicant elects group I, claims 1-3 and 7-15 drawn to the process. The requirement is not traversed.

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